



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No.: 09/877,999

Filing Date: June 8, 2001

Applicant(s): Ranger, M. et al

Title: WATER SOLUBLE STABILIZED
SELF-ASSEMBLED
POLYELECTROLYTES

Atty Docket No.: 2267.001

Commissioner of Patents
Washington DC 20231

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Examiner: Schnizer, Richard A.

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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Dear Sir:

Office Action dated: 09/27/2002

Shortened Period for Response Expired 10/27/02

Request for Extension of 1 Month(s) to 11/27/02

Sml.Ent.Petn.Fee Enc.: [X] \$ 55.00 (1 mo.) is to be charged to

Applicant's Deposit Account No. 13-0439.

Any additional fees should be charged to Deposit Account No. 13-0439.

Dear Sir:

In the above application, applicant respectfully petitions that the period for response to the outstanding Office Action indicated above be extended for the additional one month indicated above. This extension has proven necessary in order to properly prepare the necessary response in the application. Small entity status has already been established in the instant application.

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Respectfully submitted,

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